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Enclosed herewith in response to the Notice to File Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. §371 mailed April 10, 2007 are the following documents:

1. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) (1 pp).

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Enclosed please find an Executed Declaration identifying PCT/CA2004/002202 filed December 24, 2004 (1 pp); and

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